The Colorado BNICE Training Center and the National Basic Disaster Life Support Foundation present: **Basic Disaster Life Support**™ (BDLS®)



Date: Monday, April 7, 2008 Time: 0730 - 1700

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Course Description

BDLS® is targeted to multiple disciplines including emergency medical service (EMS) personnel, hazardous materials personnel, public health personnel, and health care providers. The goal of teaching multiple disciplines simultaneously is to develop a commonality of approach and language in the health care community, improving the care and coordination of response in Weapon of Mass Destruction (WMD) disasters and public health emergencies. The BDLS® course is a review of the all-hazards topics including the DISASTER paradigm, natural and accidental man made events, traumatic and explosive events, nuclear and radiological events, biological events, and chemical events. Also included is information on the health care professional's role in the public health and incident management systems, community mental health, and special needs of underserved and vulnerable populations.

Target Audience: physicians, registered or licensed practical nurses, paramedics or national intermediate EMTs, physician assistants, allied health professionals, dentists, pharmacists, public health professionals, veterinarians, health professions students, and mental health professionals.

Continuing Education Credit: Basic Disaster Life Support (BDLS®) is a day long, instructor led course approved for 7.5 hrs of category 1 PRA by the AMA for MDs and RNs, and 7 hrs of continuing education credits for EMTs and Paramedics.

Pre-requisites: None

Cost: FREE!! This course normally has a fee applied to it, which includes the cost of books and administrative fees. However, the BNICE Training Center will front all costs associated with this course. Please note that lunch is <u>not</u> provided.

Upon completion of this course, you will receive a certificate of completion and the opportunity to recertify every three years.

Registration: Please register online at www.bnice.org. Please register one week prior to the course date. Trouble registering? Call (303) 436-5069 or email Seth.jones@dhha.org.



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